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S.R.	AA	3,641,533	02/08/72	Sylvander			
S.R.	AB	4,345,249	08/17/82	Togashi			
S.R.	AC	5,301,982	04/12/94	Brotz			
S.R.	AD	5,319,491	06/07/94	Selbrede			
S.R.	AE	5,351,143	09/27/94	Sato et al.			
S.R.	AF	5,597,183	01/28/97	Johnson			
S.R.	AG	5,598,285	01/28/97	Kondo et al.			
S.R.	AH	5,737,051	04/07/98	Kondo et al.			

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S.R.	AJ	*Patent Abstracts of Japan; Publication No. 2003-243,964; Published 8/29/03.	
S.R.	AK	*Patent Abstracts of Japan; Publication No. 2003-173880, Published 6/20/03.	

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S.R.	AL	5,852,509	12/22/98	Coleman			
S.R.	AM	6,084,007	07/04/00	Narukawa et al.			
S.R.	AN	6,124,915	09/26/00	Kondo et al.			
S.R.	AO	6,205,690	03/27/01	Heropoulos et al.			
S.R.	AP	6,271,626	08/07/01	Ford et al.			
S.R.	AQ	US 2001/0018809	09/06/01	Heropoulos et al.			
S.R.	AR	6,297,812	10/02/01	Ohara et al.			
S.R.	AS	6,341,004	01/22/02	Kondo et al.			
S.R.	AT	6,348,908	02/19/02	Richley et al.			
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S.R.	AA	3,067,530	12/11/62	J. Bosley			
S.R.	AB	3,152,994	10/13/64	W. A. Thornton Jr., et al.			
S.R.	AC	3,290,537	12/6/66	R. K. Logan			
S.R.	AD	3,443,332	5/13/69	A.C. Christy			
S.R.	AE	3,740,616	6/19/73	Suzuki et al.			
S.R.	AF	4,590,381	5/20/86	Mendelson			

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S.R.	AG	735,752	8/31/55	Great Britain		
S.R.	AH	2063544	6/03/81	Great Britain		
S.R.	AI	EP 1 164 621	12/19/01	Europe		
S.R.	AJ	WO 00/55743	9/21/00	WIPO		
S.R.	AK	08-153582	6/11/96	Japan	X	Abstract

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			TRANSLATION YES NO
S.R.	AL	Patent Abstracts of Japan, Publication No. 10189244, dated July 21, 1998	
S.R.	AM	Patent Abstracts of Japan, Publication No. 2003-173880, dated June 20, 2003	

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S.R.	AA	4,686,110	8/11/87	Endo et al.			
S.R.	AB	5,483,120	1/9/96	Murakami			
S.R.	AC	5,551,905	9/3/96	Billings et al.			
S.R.	AD	5,594,562	1/14/97	Sato et al.			
S.R.	AE	5,674,104	10/7/97	Ohashi et al.			
S.R.	AF	6,144,156	11/7/00	Lutschounig et al.			

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S.R.	AG	2002-050474	2/15/02	Japan	X	X
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S.R.	AI	Patent Abstracts of Japan, Publication No. 2003-243964, Published August 29, 2003	
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S.R.	AA	6,183,262	2/6/01	Tseng			
S.R.	AB	6,326,735	12/4/01	Wang et al.			
S.R.	AC	6,727,647	4/27/04	Fukuda et al.			
S.R.	AD	2002/17857	2/14/02	Hashimoto et al.			
	AE	2003/197461	10/23/03	Fukuda et al.			
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	AM	British Search Report dated January 20, 2004 in Appln. No. GB 0316035.5		
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The following, prior-filed, copending U.S. patent application(s) is/are listed in accordance with the duty of disclosure provisions of 37 CFR § 1.56, so that the Examiner may consider same should he deem any thereof to be material to examination of the subject application. Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.98(a)(2)(iii), a copy of the identified copending application(s) is provided.

It is requested that the Examiner acknowledge his consideration of application(s) below-listed by initialing same in the space provided adjacent each such application and that the Examiner sign and date this form at the bottom thereof to confirm such consideration having been given.

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S.R.	1	10/447,275	5/29/03	WATANABE et al.	TOMY COMPANY, LTD.
S.R.	2	10/624,682	7/23/03	WATANABE et al.	TOMY COMPANY, LTD.
S.R.	3	10/637,574	8/11/03	WATANABE et al.	TOMY COMPANY, LTD.
S.R.	4	10/637,590	8/11/03	WATANABE et al.	TOMY COMPANY, LTD.
S.R.	5	10/651,210	8/29/03	WATANABE et al.	TOMY COMPANY, LTD.
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